

1. What helps you when you are doing work in the classroom?

Word mats for writing

Reading fact books.
Power maths books to help me practise

Sharp pencils for neat writing. A pencil grip. My English is neat now too.

Mr Canham comes to collect me. It helps me not to struggle.

Drawing a plan helps me write.

Miss Timmons sits next to me and helps me.

Teachers help me to learn how to count.

The cold tasks help me, because it means that I don't mess things up. It helps me to think of better words. It's good to get more than one chance.

AR quizzes help me,
then we change our
books.

The place value chart
on the wall.

Practising reading
helps me read what's
on the board.

Year 5 and 6 words on the
wall.

I like having
something to
hold.

Having thinking time
before I answer.

2. How is it different now you have these things to help you?

Power maths – we had to do too much writing before.

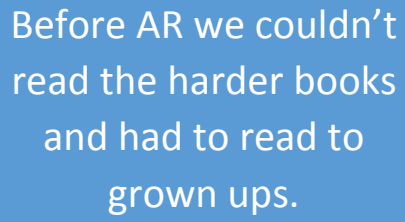
Before I had a pencil grip my writing was messy.

When I don't have a plan my writing was messy and I learned about something else by accident!

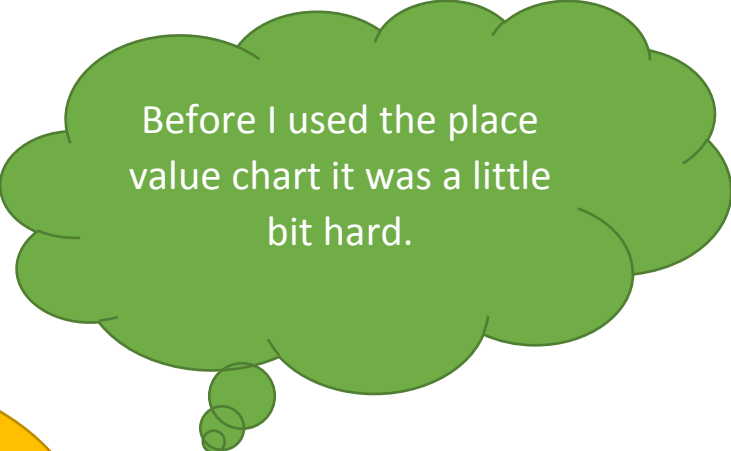
I used to not want to go to school. I didn't want to be in school for 6 hours.

It was hard before Miss Timmons came to sit near me.

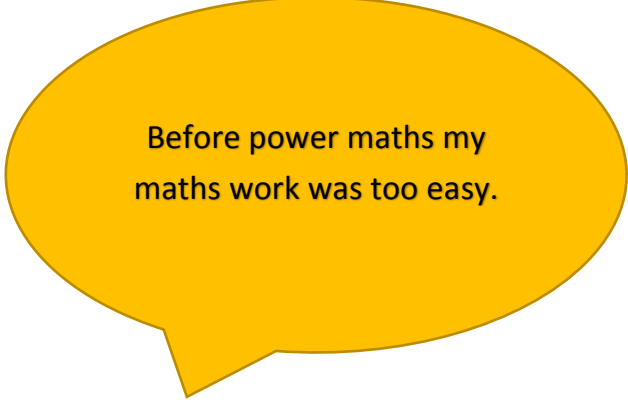
Writing before cold tasks – we used to have to get everything perfect straight away.



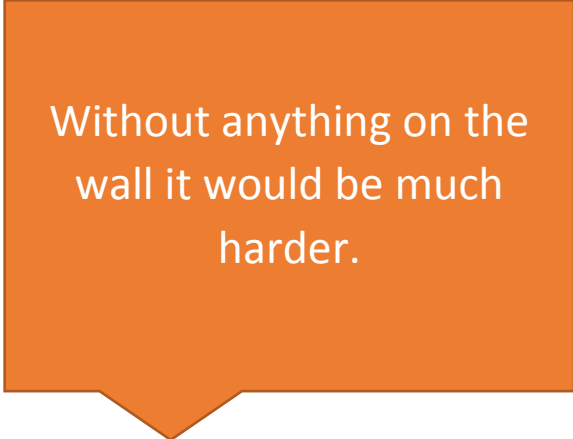
Before AR we couldn't read the harder books and had to read to grown ups.



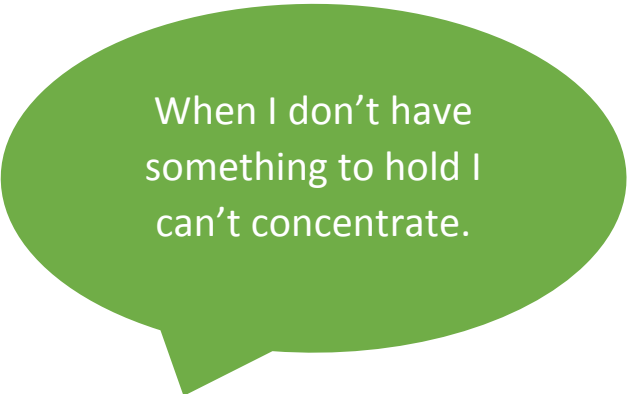
Before I used the place value chart it was a little bit hard.



Before power maths my maths work was too easy.



Without anything on the wall it would be much harder.



When I don't have something to hold I can't concentrate.